

LOCAL AFFAIRS.
WINNEBAGO CITY, August 7, 1867.
CHURCH SERVICES.
Congregational.—Services every Sabbath in the new School House, at 11 o'clock A. M., and three Sundays in each month at 7 P. M.
Rev. E. W. MERRILL, Pastor.
Baptist.—Services every alternate Sabbath in the Baptist Church, at 11 o'clock A. M., and three Sundays in each month at 7 P. M.
Rev. E. STILLMAN, Pastor.
Methodist.—Services every alternate Sabbath in the Baptist Church, at 11 o'clock A. M., and one Sunday in each month at 7 o'clock P. M.
Rev. A. S. CHUBBUCK, Pastor.

The frame of Mr. C. S. Kimball's new Hotel is raised, and looks so well that it prompted the following "Toasts," by J. M.:
Here is a fine frame;
Built in a fine place;
May it bless the man,
And all of his race,
He sold Law the old,
He has built up the new;
Now you see what a man
With his money can do.
The Hotel when completed will be a fine addition to this City.

We are under obligations to "W. E. C." for copies of the Weekly Missouri Democrat.

The best ever brought into Fairbault County, and less than one barrel of Transparent Syrup left at R. M. Wilson's.

All who are interested in the establishment of a Base Ball Club in Winnebago City are requested to meet at R. M. Wilson's store on Saturday, Aug. 10th, at 1 o'clock P. M.

'we think o shayll do most of our own seting ty P. M. heveafor—
Printers mak taLk most it's bEing difficult to sEt tpe, buL ife dOn't experienE much digicultYi.

The Rural Minnesotian made its appearance on the 29th of last month. It is edited by Dr. Thomas Foster, and published in St. Paul. Price \$2.00 a year. It gives evidence of spice and radicalism in all things.

F. F. Harlow, the enterprising Real Estate Agent of Winnebago, left town on Saturday last for a visit to the home of his nativity, in Oxford Co., Maine. During his absence the business of his office will be in charge of H. M. Huntington.

Lady's Summer Cloaks will not be found at Wilson's after the present stock is sold. The few now on hand are marked below the first cost, and will be disposed of rapidly, and for less money than the same articles can be obtained for elsewhere.

A business man in Winnebago City said to us a day or two since, "Do not insert my Advertisement until I get something to sell; but charge me for it regularly, whether it is published or not." Comment is unnecessary, but can a printer ever forget such a man?

LADY'S HATS.—A fine lot of Lady's Summer Hats are now offered for sale at ruinously low prices at Wilson's, in Winnebago City. Mr. Sargent informs us that he is about to abandon that branch of his trade, and will positively dispose of his entire stock of hats, without regard to cost. If you wish a good bargain, call early, and get a good summer hat, at about your own price.

Publishers in Minnesota will do well to make the acquaintance of the Messrs. WATKINS, Advertising Agents, 126 Dearborn St. Chicago, Ill. These gentlemen have adopted a very agreeable "style" of paying country printers in advance, for the Ads. they send.—*Chatfield Democrat.*

Good! We are ready to swear eternal enmity to each and every foreign advertisement that is not paid for in cash, quarterly in advance, so soon as the Minnesota Press will banish the whole beggarly list.

Three weeks since we recorded the drowning of young Niles, stating the circumstances as received from a citizen of Fairmount. A few days ago we received a letter from Mr. C. H. Read, a friend of the deceased, requesting some corrections, which are cheerfully made.

The letter says:—"Sylvanus G. Niles was drowned in Fox Lake, twelve miles west of Fairmount, on Wednesday, the 26th of June, while attempting to come from the west end of the lake. He was seen when about half way down the lake, the wind blowing very hard at the time. We looked for the body, but did not discover it until the Sunday following, when it washed ashore. There was a slight mark on the side of his face and ear which might have been caused by the upsetting of the boat. He was a good swimmer, but probably had no chance to swim."

If you wish to write poetry, study the writings of the best poets, such as Milton, Shakespeare, Dryden, Pope, &c. The ancients said, "Poeta nascitur, non fit," that is, a poet must be born a poet, not manufactured. Poetry is got up like steam, and like steam, when cooled, it runs all to water. This is the age of wishy-washy, mamby-pamby stuff, which is insolently called poetry.

MINNEAPOLIS FAILS TO BE SOLD.—The above-named fails is owned by Hon. D. C. Evans, of South Bend, who is now in correspondence with eastern parties, who contemplate purchasing them and forty acres adjoining, with the intention of erecting suitable houses and making other improvements for the accommodation of visitors as a place of resort. Two different parties are in correspondence with Mr. Evans, and we hope that he may effect a sale for the purpose intended, for no more popular place of resort could be found in the State.—*Mankato Record.*

Every School Teacher in our State should have *The Minnesota Teacher and Journal of Education.*

It is the only educational paper published in Minnesota, and is now fully established. It is designed expressly for the benefit of the Common Schools and the cause of Education at home. TERMS:—For single copies \$1.50 per annum. For 25 subscribers at full price, we will give a copy of Webster's Unabridged Dictionary, latest and best edition.

Teachers, work for us.
Address
WM. W. PAYNE,
Mankato, Minnesota.

EXTRAORDINARY CASUALTY.—A horrible scene has just occurred at the yard of the Minnesota Central. An engine had been reversed on the turn table and was backing down the track, near the Cataract street crossing. A number of people were passing at the time, and one of our most valued citizens was caught by the tender, and the heavy engine wheels wrenched lengthwise over the prostrate form. The name of the sufferer was T. Rail.—*Minneapolis Correspondent St. Paul Press.*

What is the need of importing English iron, so long as the wrought iron men of Minneapolis answer every purpose? Now that the discovery has been made, we shall look for rapid progress on the Northern Pacific Railway.

PITTSBURGH, SEPTEMBER 4, 1866.
Messrs. Hattetter & Smith,
Pittsburgh, Pa.

GENTS:—I think I am only doing the part of a good citizen when I testify to the great benefits received by me from the use of your Stomach Bitters during the last five years. Six years ago, in the oil regions, I had a severe bilious attack, which, in connection with dyspepsia, left me in a very weak condition. I was advised to try your Bitters, and, having prepared a bottle, found that they worked like a charm upon me, eight pounds having been added to my weight in the space of one week, and now life seemed to have been infused into my system, so much so, that I have been induced to use them every summer since that time. As a tonic, I think they are invaluable.

This summer, having had a similar attack, (and as before, much reduced,) although under the treatment of an A. N. 1 physician, I was obliged to have recourse to the old Bitters, and then with the same good result, having gained six pounds within a few days. I purchased a half dozen bottles a few weeks since, and purpose to use them regularly as a tonic.

Wishing you every success, I remain
Yours, gratefully,
WILLIAM MILLER.

Winnebago City Market.

Corrected weekly by Moulton & Deudon.

Wheat, spring, No. 1,	\$1.25
" " " No. 2,	1.00
Corn,	1.50
Oats,	1.00
Flour, per 100,	5.50
Corn Meal,	4.00
Potatoes,	1.50
Butter,	15
Eggs,	2.00
Beans,	2.00
Onions,	2.00
Hay, per ton,	5.00
Wood, per cord,	3.00
Chicox,	20
Pork, salt, per pound,	15 to 20
Pork, fresh, per cwt.,	12.50
Beef, fresh, per pound,	10 to 12

There cometh glad tidings of joy to all,
To young and to old, to great and to small,
The beauty which once was so precious and rare,
Is free to all, and all may be fair.

By the Use of

CHASTELLAR'S
White Liquid
ENAMEL!

For Improving and Beautifying the Complexion.
The most valuable and perfect preparation in use, for giving the skin a beautiful pearl-like tint, that is only found in youth. It quickly removes Tan, Freckles, Pimples, Blisters, Moth Patches, Sallowness, Eruptions and all impurities of the skin, kindly healing the same, leaving the skin white and clear as alabaster. Its use can not be detected by the closest scrutiny, and being a vegetable preparation is perfectly harmless. It is the only article of the kind used by the French, and is considered by the Parisian as indispensable to a perfect toilet. Upwards of 20,000 bottles were sold during the past year, a sufficient guarantee of its efficacy. Price only 75 cents, sent by mail, on receipt of an order, by
BERGER, SHUTTS & CO., Chemists,
285 River St., Troy, N. Y.

"HE THAT

Bought any of these fashionable and durable Dress Goods last Spring, at the Store of MOULTON & DEUDON,

wise, while all who failed to buy Tea, Coffee, Sugar, and Boots and Shoes, were most assuredly

to their financial interests, and can only mend the matter by securing some of the excellent Summer Goods which now crowd the shelves.—
Years ago this Firm

in business, and by a strict adherence to small profits,

also by a liberal system of Advertising,

AND

BEGAN

TO SPEAK"

to lay the foundation for the LEADING Trade, which they now enjoy. Every one who has purchased Dress Goods, Sheetings, Heavy Cloths, Ready Made Clothing, or Crockery, at this popular Store, will be perfectly willing

in favor of the excellent qualities of the various articles secured, and to advise their friends to trade with

MOULTON & DEUDON.

Winnebago City, August 1st, 1867.

BLUE EARTH CITY.

A. B. BALCOM

offers

GREAT BARGAINS

WHICH

DEFY COMPETITION

LIVERY STABLE!

GEORGE & COGRAVE.

Would respectfully inform the public that they have opened a first class Livery Stable in Winnebago City, where good "establishments" can be had at all times, day or night. Passengers arriving by stage carried to any point desired. Stable and Office just back of the New Baptist Church. Hay, Oats and Stabling at reasonable rates. Winnebago City, Jan. 10, 1867.

Know Thy Destiny.

Madame E. F. Thornton, the great English Astrologist, Clairvoyant and Psychometrist, who has located herself at Hudson, N. Y. Madame Thornton possesses such wonderful powers of second sight, as to enable her to impart knowledge of the greatest importance to the single or married of either sex. While in a state of trance, she discloses the very features of the person you are married, and by the aid of an instrument of immense power, known as the Psychometre, guarantees to produce a life-like picture of the future husband or wife of the applicant, together with date of marriage, position in life, leading traits of character, &c. This is no humbug, as thousands of testimonials can attest. She will send, when desired, a certified certificate, or written guarantee, that the picture is what it purports to be. By enclosing a small lock of hair, and stating place of birth, age, disposition and complexion, and enclosing 50 cents and stamped envelope addressed to yourself, you will receive the picture and desired information by return mail. All communications strictly confidential. Address in confidence, MADAME E. F. THORNTON, P. O. Box 228, Hudson, N. Y.

REPARATOR CAPILLI.

Three away your false tresses, your switches, your wig—
Destructive of comfort, and not worth a fig.
Come upon, come upon, come upon, and fair,
And rejoice in your own luxurious hair.

REPARATOR CAPILLI.

For restoring hair upon bald heads (from whatever cause it may have fallen out) and forcing a growth of hair upon the face, it has no equal. It will force the hair to grow upon the smoothest face in from five to three months. A few ignorant practitioners have asserted that there is nothing that will force or hasten the growth of the hair or beard. Their assertions are false, and you may have already thrown away large amounts of money in vain. But many will say, how are we to distinguish the genuine from the spurious? It is certain that there is nothing that will force or hasten the growth of the hair or beard. Their assertions are false, and you may have already thrown away large amounts of money in vain. But many will say, how are we to distinguish the genuine from the spurious? It is certain that there is nothing that will force or hasten the growth of the hair or beard. Their assertions are false, and you may have already thrown away large amounts of money in vain. 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Baptist—Services every alternate Sabbath in the Baptist Church, at 11 o'clock A. M., and three Sundays in each month at 7 o'clock P. M.
Rev. E. STULMAN, Pastor.
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Rev. A. S. CHURCH, Pastor.

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Winnebago City only forty-five miles from a Railroad! The *Wilton News* thinks the cars will be running to Waseca near Clear Lake by the 20th inst.

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Apparently following in the path of the moon, a bright "particular star," of more than ordinary magnitude nightly shines with a pale yellow hue in the Southern sky. It is the planet Saturn, with the flattened side of its rings turned toward the earth. Astronomers say the rings do not appear in this manner often than once in fifteen years, and that the distance between the planet and the inner ring is 21,000 miles, and that the breadth of the latter is 20,000. The object of the rings is to reflect (gas?) light on the Saturnites.

The following officers of Winnebago City Lodge, No. 11, I. O. of C. T., were regularly installed last Friday evening by T. L. Rice, G. W. G. T.:
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Armenia Summer, W. V. T.
J. E. Caldwell, P. W. C. T.
Emily Richardson, W. Sec.
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John Coggrave, W. M.
Emma Rhodes, W. I. G.
Geo. M. Potter, W. O. G.
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Inez Goodnow, W. A. M.

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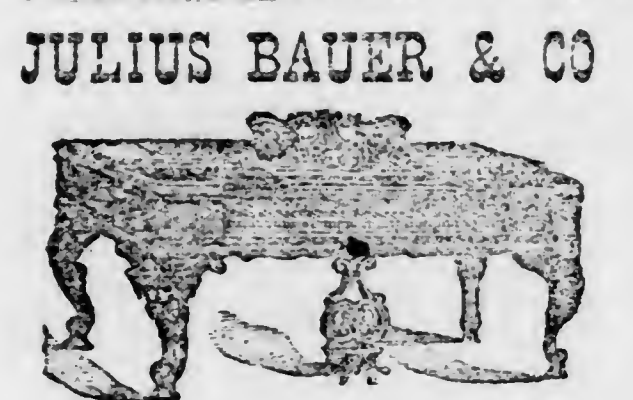
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Gentlemen who have recently returned from Paris, bring news of a capital trotting stallion, bred in France, and as great a wonder as a natural trotter as ever was seen anywhere. The horse is brown, fifteen and a half hands high, and with one hip down. He is very nearly thorough-bred, and has a very long pedigree. He belongs to a wealthy nobleman. We have it from a capital horseman who saw him trot in the vicinity of Paris, that his speed is very great, and that he is the best breaker he has ever seen. The gentleman in question, with a friend, also an American, measured the ground the horse had trotted over, and found that his rate was 2m. 23s. It was rough going, he was in a low-wheeled vehicle with very long shafts, and his driver was an artillery soldier. He added that \$100,000 in gold had been offered for him by Mr. Howe, the sewing-machinist, but money would not buy him. Taking these statements to be correct, and we have no reason to suppose they are unfounded, he is a horse that might, on our level tracks, in one of our sulkies, and before one of our professional drivers, well contest the palm with Dexter himself. — *Wilkes Spirit.*

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Rev. A. S. CHUBBUCK, Pastor.

Next week Saturday, the Republican County Convention meets in Blue Earth City. See notice on second page.

Rev. A. B. Tomlinson, of Shakopee, will hold divine service at the Baptist Church in Winnebago City, on Sabbath next, at 11 o'clock A. M., and 5 P. M.

Rev. Charles Smead, of St. Anthony, Minn., will preach in the Baptist Church here this (Wednesday) evening, and will present the subject of "Northfield College." All classes of citizens are invited to attend.

Every Saturday for last week contains interesting articles on "Fashionable Tipping;" "Summer on the Spanish Frontier;" "Bullet Marks;" "A Dinner in the City;" "Mrs. Brown's Budget;" &c., &c. Price 10 cts. TICKNOR & FIELDS, Boston.

Some pieces of wheat, on corn ground, are severely injured by the blight, others very little, and a few not at all. Wheat on other ground seems to flatter the best hopes of farmers. It is said that the crop of this County will average twenty-five bushels per acre.

In the State, according to the last report, there were 102,118 scholars.—Hon. M. H. Dannel, Superintendent of Public Instruction, has just made the semi-annual division of the School Fund to the various counties of the State, on a basis of sixty-six cents to each scholar, by which Faribault Co. receives \$1,475.10.

ACCIDENTS.—Rev. E. Stillman recently met with a runaway accident, by which his right shoulder and leg were severely injured.

A son of James Myers, while attempting to climb on a wagon rack, became entangled in a rope, which was dragging behind, and broke his leg above the knee. Both cases were attended by Dr. J. P. Humes, of Winnebago, and are, we believe, doing well.

The party which Capt. Davy was taking from this State to Montana, has had trouble. On reaching Fort Ransom, a council was called and Davy was deposed from the command and S. E. Smith, his "Adjutant General," was substituted, but resigned in disgust after a few days. A portion of the party have dropped out from time to time. Insufficiency of provisions was one cause of the difficulty, and incompetency on the part of Davy is alleged as another.—*Rochester Post.*

The first number of GOOD STORIES contains the following finely illustrated stories:—"The Avenger," by Thomas De Quincey; "Peter Goldthwaite's Treasure," by Nathaniel Hawthorne; "Love and Skates," by Theodore Winthrop; "The Defaulter," by Thomas Hood; "Coldstream," by Herbert Vaughan; "Madonna," by Henry Spicer.

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Do not forget the Caucus next Saturday evening, and be on hand on time. Let every Republican elector remember that it is his duty to be present.

Rev. T. C. Eaton, of Des Moines, Iowa, will preach in the Baptist Church in this place, next Monday evening.

THE LADY'S FRIEND.—The Village Doctor, an expressive picture, is the title of the Steel Engraving in the September number of this popular magazine. A beautiful Steel Fashion Plate, with numerous other Engravings of the Fashions, follow, and the usual piece of popular Music, worth of itself the price of the number.—Among the Literary matter we have an article on "Skeleten Leaves, or the Phantom Boquet," a fine story by Louise Chandler Moulton, "How a Woman had Her Way," "Orville College," "Dora Castel," "How to Make Wax Flowers," &c. We would suggest to our lady readers who desire to get a Wheeler & Wilson's Sewing Machine, that the "Lady's Friend" offers one of these machines as a Premium for Clubs of Thirty names, and that it is not a moment too soon to commence making up their lists for next year. A beautiful Steel Engraving will also be sent gratis to every single (\$2.50) subscriber, and to every person sending the usual clubs. Specimen numbers of the magazine will be sent for twenty cents.

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PITTSBURGH, SEPTEMBER 4, 1866.
Messrs. Houtz & Smith,
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All persons in possession of important information upon either of these subjects are earnestly requested to address the Committee, as directed below, stating:

First, The name, age, post office address of the writer.

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Third, A full statement of all facts known to the writer touching his own imprisonment or treatment, and that of others, either soldier or citizen, giving, as far as possible, names, places and dates, with names of Confederate officers in charge.

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Winnebago City Minn., July 29, 1867.

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James A. Gano has this day applied for the 2 1/2 c. section 10, township 101 north, range 22 west; it being the land you filed on. You are hereby notified to be and appear at the office on Thursday, the 29th day of August, 1867, at 12 o'clock M., for the purpose of giving the whole matter a fair and impartial investigation.

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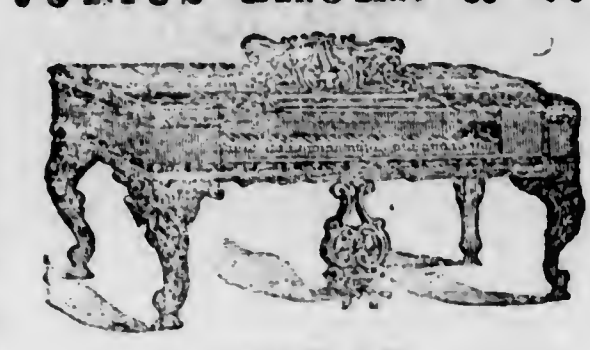
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Come from the dyming moon, and blow,
Blow him again to me;
While my little one, while my pretty one, sleeps.

Sleep and rest, sleep and rest;
Father will come to thee soon,
Rest, rest on mother's breast;
Father will come to thee soon,
Father will come to thee soon;
Under the silver moon;
Sleep, my little one, sleep, my pretty one, sleep.
ALFRED TENNYSON.

JENNY KISSED ME.

Jenny kissed me when I met,
Old, don't know whether I'm a good little boy,
Time, you thief! who love to get
Sweet into your net, put that in.
Say that length and wealth have missed me;
Say I'm growing old, but kiss—
Jenny kissed me!
LAWSON HUST.

What a Little Boy Thought About Things.

I am a little boy about so many years old, don't know whether I'm a good little boy, but I'm afraid not, for I sometimes do wicked things, and once I cut sister's kitten's tail off with the chopping-knife, and told her a big dog came along and bit it off and swallowed it down before poor Kitty could say Jack Robinson, and sister said she was sorry and it must have been a very naughty dog, but my mother didn't believe me and said she was afraid I had told a lie, and I'm afraid I had; so then she asked me if I knew where liars went to? and I said yes: that they went to New York and wrote for the newspapers; she said no—they went to the bad place where was nothing but a lake of fire and brimston', and she asked me if I would like to go there, and I said no; for I didn't think there'd be much skatin' and slidin' on that lake, and the boys couldn't snowball each other on shore, and she said it was more than that, just as though that wasn't bad enough, for I don't think they can play base ball nuther; then she asked me if I wouldn't like to be an angel and have a harp, and I said No! I'd rather be a stage driver and have a big drum, for I couldn't play on 'other thing. So I shouldn't like to be a nangel, for their wings must be in the way when they go swimmin' and play tag and leap-frog; and besides it must be hard to fly, when one ain't used to it. But it would be jolly to be a stage driver and have a long whip and touch up the leaders, and say 'glang there, what are ye doin' on! I should like that much better'n flyin'; and then mother said that there was a dreadful stage of sin, and brother Bob hollered and said that he guessed I was on it, and then she whipped us and sent us to bed without any supper, but I didn't care about supper, for they hadn't nothin' but bread and butter for tea, and Bob and I got up and he lifted me in at the pantry window, and we got a mince pie and a whole nat full of doughnuts, and they thought it was the cook that stole 'em, and sent her away the next day, and Bob said he was glad of it for she didn't make good pie, and the doughnuts wasn't fried enough, and sometimes I do swear, for I said by golly, the other day, and sister heard me, and she told mother, and mother said I was a bad boy and would bring her gray hairs to the grave, and she whipped me, but I don't think it did her gray hairs any good, and it hurt me, and when I got up stairs I said golly, darn it, but I said it so she didn't hear me, and when she asked me if I didn't think I was very wicked, I said I was afraid I was, and I was sorry for it, and would do so no more, and then she said I was a good little boy, and told me about George Washington who cut down the apple tree, and was caught at it, and he said he did it with his little hatchet, just as though I hadn't heard all about it before, and didn't always think he was a big stupid for cuttin' wood when they had a hired man about the house, and daddin' his little hatchet, and besides it would have been a great deal jollier to let the tree be so he could have stole the apples off in the fall. I don't care if he was the Father of his Country he wasn't smart, and I'll bet you the boys in our school would cheat him out of his eye-

teeth swoppin' jack-knives, and could lick him and not hardly try, and I don't think he was very healthy either, for I never saw a good little boy that wasn't always sick and had the mumps and measles, and the scarlet fever, and wasn't a coughin' all the while, and hadn't to take castor oil and tar-water, and couldn't eat cherries, and didn't have to have his head patted till all the hair was rubbed off by everybody that came to his mother's, and he asked how old he was, and who died to save sinners, and what he had been studyin' at school, and how far he'd got, and lots of other conundrums, had to have his catechism, no I shouldn't like to be a good little boy, I'd just as lief be a nangel and be done with it, but I don't think I ever shall be a good little boy, and other people don't think so too, for I wasn't never called a good little boy but once, and that was when Uncle John asked me where I stood in my class, and I told him I was next to the head, and he said that was right, and he gave me a quarter, and then he asked me how many boys there was in the class, and I said there was only two, myself and a little girl, and then he wanted me to give him back the quarter, and I would not, and he ran after me, and stumbled over a chair and broke his cane, and hurt himself, and he's been lame ever since, and I'm glad of it, for he isn't my father, and hasn't got any right to lick me, for I get enough of that to home, and the quarter wasn't a good one either. I don't like Uncle John, and I guess he knows it, for he says I ain't like any of the rest of the family, and he expects I'll go to sea and be a pirate instead of a respectable member of society, and I shouldn't wonder, for I rather be a pirate than a soap boiler like him, and I don't care if he is rich, it's a nasty business, and I shan't have to be a pirate either, for one can make lots of money without that, and they're always talking to me about being rich and respectable, and goin' to Congress, and being President, and all that sort of thing, but I don't want to be President; there's Lincoln, he was President, and I guess he's sorry for it now, and there's Andy Johnson, I guess he don't like it much either, and a feller doesn't have to be respectable to be a Congressman, there's John Morrissey, he's made money, and he's gone to Congress, and he has nice curly hair, and nice clothes, and he don't do any work either, I shouldn't like to be a fighter like he is, for I shouldn't like to have my nose smashed as his is, for it looks just like my mother's big squash did after the cow bit a chunk out of it, but I should like to have nice curly hair, nice clothes and lots of money, and a cave, and have people look at me when I walk down the street, and say that's him, and I don't care who knows it, for I don't want to be a soap boiler like Uncle John, nor a tanner like Uncle Hiram, and all the good people I know of are soap boilers or tanners, except Mr. Stebbins, and he's a school teacher, and that's worse than either, for he has to board round amongst the neighbors, and they never put apple sass on the table when he's at the house, I heard Miss Spriggins tell Aunt Polly so; they wait till he's gone to spellin' school, or to see the minister's wife and talk about rheumatiz and red flannel and hot poultices for sore chests, and after he's gone they bring out the nice things and eat 'em by themselves, with lots of pickles. He don't get anything but bread and firkin' butter and stale doughnuts that are left over from Saturday's bakin, oh, I know how things are done, but there's Bob callin' me, and we're goin' a bird-nestin', for I know where there's a yaller bird's nest chuck full of eggs, mother says it's cruel and the birds don't like it, and that I wouldn't like to have my eggs stole if I was a bird, and I don't think I should, but I ain't a bird you know, and that makes a difference, and if you want to print this you can, for next to bein a stage driver and a pirate, I'd like to be an Editor, for you fellows don't have to tell the truth, and you can go to the circus without payin'.

INDIANA HUMOR.

How Bob Wiggings "Balked" the Patient Tooth-powder Man.

From the New Albany Commercial.

A few nights ago, an itinerant vender of a harmless compound of lilly white and the essence of lavender, mounted a goods-box on the corner of Pearl and State streets, and spreading out before him an open valise stuffed with small bottles done up in fancy papers, began to sell to a large and appreciative audience, that miraculous white wash known to the pharmacopia of the American quack as Swindle & Humbug's celebrated Scandinavian Toothpowder, warranted to polish every description of ivory, down to the molar teeth of a superannuated omnibus horse, at the democratic sum of twenty-five cents per bottle. The vender of this truly wonderful gun soap was in fine voice and spirits, sung several mellifluous ballads, played on the banjo, and the dilapidated fractional currency poured in upon him like a spring freshet.

He remarked a great many funny things, astonishing.

The gaping rustics ranged around, With words of learned strength and thundering sound.

And still they gazed, and still the wonder grew That one small head could carry all he knew.

"Feller citizens," observed he, "I don't look much like a rich man, but I am making more money than fifteen-twentieths of you put together. I was raised to this profession, and I understand it as well, if possible, as I do the Ten Commandments, and I'll bet any man in the crowd ten dollars that I can sell more of this benign and miraculous tooth-wash in ten minutes than he can in fifteen."

"Pull up, right there! I'll take that bet," said a voice in the crowd.

The sole proprietor of that melodious voice was Bob Wiggings, from Posey county, who is up here to attend the "hoss fair." Bob made his way thro' the assembled yeomanry and mounted the box by the side of the man of the tooth powder, who looked as though he didn't exactly like the turn things had taken. But the crowd laughed, as crowds always will under such circumstances, and he lacked the courage to back out. The "preliminaries" were soon arranged, and it was agreed that the professor of the tooth-wash should exhaust his ten minutes, and then let Wiggings follow in "his own way, without the slightest interruption" from the former.

Wiggings descended from the box, and the other threw off his coat, turned his tongue loose and shot off his mouth like a revolutionary blunderbuss, scattering far and wide. He kept everybody in the best sort of humor, and at the expiration of ten minutes had sold five bottles of his incomparable white-wash, and considered the bet won. Wiggings then mounted the box—his first appearance on any stage as a retail dealer in patent medicines—and amid the wildest applause of the crowd, proceeded to business without a smile—as solemnly, in fact, as if he had come to preach the funeral of his grandmother.

"In the language of the Hon. Obediah Perkins," said he, "Fellow citizens of the United States of Indiana and Floyd county, I have a preparation here which, unlike poppeys and mandragoras, and other malicious and mischievous soft soaps of the world, will restore the lost teeth of your great grandmothers, and bring them back to their original and pristine beauty and usefulness. It is warranted by no less responsible an individual than the influential and highly respectable and responsible gentleman whom I have the honor temporarily to succeed in this lucrative business. It will cure and clean everything from a decayed tooth to a wooden leg. I know it will accomplish everything, for I've tried it myself, and have used it in my family for twenty-five years. And now, gentlemen, I want to sell you some of this delicious preparation, and here it is, a limited supply on hand and the demand constantly increasing. I am the duly accredited agent of the American Benevolent Association for the amelioration of the condition of the unwashed portion of suffering humanity, and I am instructed to sell you this powder at the unprecedentedly low price of five cents per bottle, three bottles for ten cents, or twenty-five cents per dozen."

"Hold on there, mister," exclaimed the powder man, rushing frantically through the crowd, "I'll be overlastingly dod-dered if I'll stand that—hold on!"

"Just you keep your shirt on," said Wiggings, "these intelligent audience will testify that I was to sell this stuff in my own way, and without the slightest interruption from you. I didn't interrupt you—don't interrupt me."

"These intelligent audience" did testify to that effect, and the victimized individual was forced to stand back and witness, in furious but impotent wrath, the rapid sale of his "Scandinavian Tooth Powder," at the unprecedented low price hereinbefore mentioned.

Wiggings still had three minutes left to spare when he announced with many expressions of regret that his stock of tooth-powder had entirely "gin out." Coming down from the stand, he thrust the ten dollars he had won into his vest pocket, and retired amid the most deafening applause.

FOOLING AROUND IN THE DARK.—A traveler once arrived at a village inn after a hard day's travel, but the landlord said they were entirely full, and that it was utterly impossible to accommodate him; that his wife had to sleep on the sofa and himself on the floor; but he would see what his wife could do for him. The good woman on being applied to, said there was a room he might occupy, provided he would agree to the conditions, viz: to enter the room late in the dark, and leave it early in the morning, to prevent scandal, as the room was double bedded and occupied by a lady. This he agreed to. About two o'clock in the morning, an awful noise was heard in the house, and our friend, the traveler, was heard tumbling heels over head down stairs. The landlord, on arriving at the spot, inquired what the matter was. The traveler ejaculated as soon as he could speak:

"Oh, lord! that woman's dead!"

"I knew that," said the landlord, "but how did you find that out?"

The Tin Mines in Missouri.

Several thousand acres of land have recently been entered in Madison and Iron counties, upon which the owners hope to find tin—lands which have heretofore been considered as almost worthless, because of their hilly, rocky character, and their remoteness from river and railroad communication. These lands have been entered and purchased respectively by parties from Detroit, St. Louis, Chicago, Wheeling and Pittsburg, about in the order named as to quantity. U. K. Booth, of Detroit, taking the lead. The St. Louis parties have three Cornwell miners at work exploring with very favorable results. The "tin fever" has assumed a contagious form, and everybody has the "attack." Farnus which could have been bought a week ago for \$10 or \$15 an acre, are now eagerly snapped up at from \$100 to \$300 per acre; and if the investigation now being made results satisfactorily, some land we know could not be purchased for \$1,000 per acre.—St. Louis Times.

GIRLS.—Somebody says, and it is true, that there are two kinds of girls. One is the kind that appears best abroad—the girls that are good for parties, rides, visits, &c., and whose chief delight is in such things. The other is the kind that appears best at home—the girls that are useful and cheerful in the dining room, sick-room, and all the precincts at home. They differ widely in character. One is often a torment at home, the other a blessing. One is a moth, consuming everything about; the other is a sunbeam, inspiring light and gladness all around her pathway. The right education will modify both a little, and thus unite the good qualities of both in one.

THE HOMESTEAD

WINNEBAGO CITY, MINN.

AUGUST 28, 1867.

RAILROAD CONVENTION!!

The people of the 20th Legislative District, comprising the Counties of Faribault, Martin and Jackson, who are in favor of the speedy completion of a Railroad into and through these Counties; who are opposed to all hostile and unfriendly legislation that may either directly or indirectly obstruct or delay the building of such Road; and who believe it is the duty of a Member of the Legislature to represent the interest of his constituents, the people of his district, rather than the interests of a few town-site speculators, are requested to meet in Mass Convention at Moulton's Hall, in Winnebago City, on Saturday, the 5th day of October, 1867, at 11 o'clock a. m., to put in nomination a candidate for Representative to the Legislature, and also to nominate County officers to be voted for at the coming Election.

MANY CITIZENS,
Winnebago City, Minn., Aug. 28, 1867.

Republican State Convention.

The Union electors of the State of Minnesota are hereby called upon to meet in Delegate Convention at Ingalls' Hall, St. Paul, on Wednesday, at 12 o'clock M., the 11th of September, 1867, for the purpose of nominating candidates for Governor, Lieutenant Governor, Secretary of State, State Treasurer and Attorney General, to be elected at the ensuing election in November next; The apportionment of delegates is as follows:

Andover	1	Manongalia	1
Beaumont	1	Morrison	1
Blue Earth	1	Mower	1
Brown	1	Nicollet	1
Cass	1	St. Louis	1
Crow Wing	1	St. Peter	1
Chippewa	1	St. Regis	1
Chisholm	1	St. Vincent	1
Dakota	1	St. Cloud	1
Douglas	1	St. James	1
Fergus	1	St. Joseph	1
Faribault	1	St. Lawrence	1
Fillmore	1	St. Mary	1
Freeborn	1	St. Paul	1
Goodhue	1	St. Peter	1
Hennepin	1	St. Regis	1
Holmes	1	St. Vincent	1
Isanti	1	St. Cloud	1
Lake	1	St. James	1
Le Sueur	1	St. Joseph	1
Lyon	1	St. Lawrence	1
Marblehead	1	St. Mary	1
McLeod	1	St. Paul	1
Meeker	1	St. Peter	1
Miller	1	St. Regis	1

Delegates from unorganized counties not named will be subject to the action of the Convention.

THOS. FORSTER, Chm. THOMAS SWINSON,
H. E. MARY, BENJ. F. SMITH,
WM. B. MITCHELL, W. H. MITCHELL,
Republican State Committee,
St. Paul, July 19, 1867.

Republican County Convention.

The Republican Electors of Faribault County are requested to meet in Delegate Convention at Blue Earth City, on Saturday, August 31st, 1867, at 11 o'clock a. m., for the purpose of choosing two Delegates to represent the County in the State Convention to be held at St. Paul the 20th day of September, and ten delegates to the 20th Senatorial District Convention, to be held at Fairmont, Wednesday, October 23, 1867.

The various towns will be entitled to one delegate to every fifty votes cast at the last General Election for Wm. Windom, and one for every fraction of Twenty-five or more, as follows:

Winnebago City	2	Joe Davison	1
Andover	1	Washington City	1
Blue Earth	1	Emery	1
Brown	1	Brish Creek	1
Cass	1	Emery	1
Crow Wing	1	Emery	1
Chippewa	1	Emery	1
Chisholm	1	Emery	1
Dakota	1	Emery	1
Douglas	1	Emery	1
Fergus	1	Emery	1
Faribault	1	Emery	1
Fillmore	1	Emery	1
Freeborn	1	Emery	1
Goodhue	1	Emery	1
Hennepin	1	Emery	1
Holmes	1	Emery	1
Isanti	1	Emery	1
Lake	1	Emery	1
Le Sueur	1	Emery	1
Lyon	1	Emery	1
Marblehead	1	Emery	1
McLeod	1	Emery	1
Meeker	1	Emery	1
Miller	1	Emery	1

G. D. MCARTHUR,
Chairman of County Committee.

Republican District Convention.

The Republicans of the 20th Legislative District are requested to meet in Convention at Fairmont, in Martin County, on Wednesday, the 24th of October next, at 2 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of nominating a candidate for representative, to be supported at the ensuing election, and for the transaction of such other business as may properly come before the Convention. Counties will be entitled to one delegate for each 100 votes cast for Mr. Windom at the last general election, as follows: Faribault 16, Martin 8, Jackson 1.

A. C. HAND,
A. BONWELL,
District Central Committee,
August 7th, 1867.

Grant has found several government stables keeping civilian's horses at the expense of the government, and also found needless multiplication of officers and office holders, all of which were dispersed with at once.

It is generally believed that valuable mines of a very superior quality of coal exists in the newly acquired territory of Alaska.

Mr. Edwin Stanton, son of the late Secretary, still holds his position as clerk in the department.

"Content is with a monarchie,
And mischief hit the high."

Who more than King Andy I?—He keeps the ball rolling, but his National Base Ball, or his base national ball, is fast resolving itself into the Return Ball; and return it assuredly will, with such a rebound from the next November Congress, that big I will wish himself a little Southern tailor again, with his friendly goose for company instead of the lordly eagle—"prand bird of the mountain"—whose cry he has so much difficulty in keeping. Dizzy in his lofty position, his alcoholic brain vainly imagined that the laurels with which an assassin hand wreathed his brow would be fadeless. The hoated impeachment committee is fast assuming the hideous proportions of a head-man, and the ignoble blood of the poor President pulsates wildly, and he trembles in every nerve as he sees the great X slowly lifting to strike his head, and low on the great mud-sill of the north. His blood stained throne has no foundation in truth, morality or religion, and the vestal flame on the altar of liberty pales before his breath, as the stars go out at dawn of day. Bitter with opposition, he is impotent with rage, and every sin that gilds the dome of Columbia's Capitol, stamps his soul with deeper darkness.

August 23d, 1867.

Mr. Editor:—A Letter-writer from Fairmont to the St. Paul Press a few days since, says:—"Senator Wakefield strongly urges the nomination of Mr. Andrews," for the Legislature. He, "Andrews, is true and able, and as for his action on the Railroad question will give general satisfaction."

Why the course of the distinguished Representative from Martin County upon the Railroad question should not give general satisfaction to his constituents, is passing strange!! He and Wakefield were elected by the people for the express purpose of retarding the building of the Southern Minnesota Railroad, and as they have accomplished their mission, why should not the people be satisfied? Nothing has been done on the Road this Summer, and as this is just what these distinguished personages were elected to effect, the people who voted for them have reason to be exceedingly glad!! Let all those who wish to continue the "good thing," be active in renominating Mr. Andrews this fall, in response to the "strong desire" of Wakefield. It is really a silly idea some people have, that a Railroad built through Faribault and Martin Counties would be a good thing. It is no great trouble to haul wheat to the Winona & St. Peter Railroad, from fifty to seventy-five miles! One year extra, of such hauling, has already been secured by the prompt action of the people last fall in electing Wakefield and Andrews to the Legislature. By all means then, if it is thought desirable to have still further stoppage of work, re-elect Mr. Andrews, or some one else who will operate with Wakefield in crushing out the prospects of a Railroad in Faribault and Martin Counties. There will be no opposition this fall to those men.—If the farmers like their style, if they like still further postponement of their Railroad chances, if they like to haul their wheat seventy miles instead of having a depot near them, by all means gratify our distinguished Senator by re-electing some man like Andrews, who will co-operate with him in throwing as many obstacles in the way of Railroad building in these Counties as possible. If the people like it, and can stand it, by all means let them be gratified. Perhaps the Railroad Company can stand doses of Wakefield and Andrews as long as anybody.

A FARMER.

A poison of any conceivable description and degree of potency, which has been swallowed intentionally or by accident, may be rendered almost instantaneously harmless by swallowing two gills of sweet oil. An individual with a very strong constitution should take twice the quantity. This oil will neutralize every form of vegetable or mineral poison with which physicians and chemists are acquainted.

Solon Robinson, the agricultural editor of the New York Tribune, must be an Irishman, as he is a philosopher. Recently he wrote: "To forget trouble, hoe potatoes on good ground by the side of the woods in the afternoon shade. The smell of the vines and of the rich soil, and the singing of the birds and the crickets will be like reading a sweet and sorrowful psalm."

A terrible earthquake has recently occurred in Java.

Washington.

WASHINGTON, Aug. 20.—The President has sent Grant a positive order-relieving Gen. Sheridan, which he directed him to transmit. The order relieves Gen. Sheridan and orders him to the command of the Department of Missouri, in the place of Gen. Hancock, who goes to the Department of Tennessee, to relieve Gen. Thomas, who has been ordered to relieve Sheridan. This Presidential order was received by Grant this morning and was positive in its terms, leaving no alternative but compliance; nevertheless it is known that Grant visited the President to-day, and entered his earnest protest against the movement, but the President was immovable, and the order will be transmitted with instructions through the Adjutant General's office to-morrow. The order directing the change has not been made public, neither have the views of Gen. Grant upon the subject, which are understood not to have been expressed in any writing. There is the best authority for stating that he regards the movement as most unfortunate, though the change of Sheridan for Thomas will not change the character of the execution of the laws unless the latter should be hampered by new instructions.

Aug. 22.—The Times' special says that General Grant, when apprised of the President's intention to remove Stanton, sent him an earnest protest against the act, questioning his legal right to take the step, and also, that in his opinion the gravest reasons of public policy demanded that the removal be not made. To this the President made no reply, and General Grant's remonstrance against the removal of Sheridan was even more emphatic. He urged the President for financial policy, and all other considerations not to make the removal. To this the President replied at length in a letter covering 10 or 12 pages. He argued the case in his usual style and closed with a reiteration of his determination.

Aug. 23.—The World's correspondent says there is authority for asserting that Secretary Seward will soon be requested to retire from the Cabinet. The President is understood to have said he would accept the resignations of Mr. McCulloch, Mr. Wells and Mr. Randall. He wants to make a new deal and have fresh cards for the remainder of his term.

Aug. 23.—The Intelligencer of this morning, urges the removal of Secretary Seward for the reason of his advising the President to turn a deaf ear to the counsels of those who desired Stanton's displacement.

Communicated.

EDITOR HOMESTEAD.—Mr. Ed. Rice, President of the St. Paul & Winona Railroad, is advertising extensively, the value of certain Swamp Lands granted him by the last Legislature to aid in building the said Road. It may be of interest to the voters of Faribault, Martin and Jackson Counties, to know that the most valuable of these lands lie in these three Counties, and that our distinguished Senator and Representative Wakefield and Andrews, last winter helped wrest these lands from the Southern Minnesota Railroad,—a road proposed to be built through these three Counties,—and granted them to this Road being built by Mr. Rice, from St. Paul down the Mississippi River.—This kind of legislation is what Wakefield in his Dutch vernacular calls "friendly legislation." He aids a road that the people of his County desire built, by voting away its lands to a Company in the Eastern portion of the State! And yet there are people in this County and Martin who are duped into believing Wakefield a true friend to their interests. How can the distinguished corporeity explain this outrage upon his constituents?

Bonner paid \$80,000 for Dexter. There is an \$80,000 pair of horses at Long Branch; the owner is also a figure. The wife of Mendez is insane; the wife of Mejia is mad; the wife of Miramon is stricken beyond hope of recovery, and the Princess Salu-Salu is in jail. Bad place for unprotected females, Mexico.

It appears from statistics kept in France, that during the last thirty years more than ten thousand people were struck by lightning, of whom two thousand two hundred and thirty-two were killed outright. Eight hundred and eighty were killed during the past ten years, and of these only two hundred and forty-three were females.

Remarkable Pecunily.

From the Lancaster (Pa.) Express.
We briefly stated on Friday last that a German named John Haefler, living in this city, had on the previous day followed to the grave his thirty-third child and that he was the father of thirty-seven children. Since then we have learned some further particulars of this remarkable case. Haefler was married three times. His first marriage took place in Germany when he was twenty-one years of age. With this wife he had seventeen children. At four successive accouchments triplets, twice twins, and the last a single birth, shortly after the latter event the wife died. He was again married, and the issue of the second wife was fifteen children—seven times twins and the eighth a single child. This wife also died shortly after the last birth. His third and present wife has thus far presented him with five children, one at a birth. The sex of the children were nineteen boys and eighteen girls, only four of whom are now living—but whether the living are all issues of the last wife or part of the previous wives, we have not ascertained. Haefler is now fifty-two years of age, medium size and of hardy, vigorous constitution.

Among the interesting sights at Saratoga are the public interviews of John C. Heenan and Hon. John Morrissey. They meet upon Broadway, shake hands, take a seat upon the lawn, light their cigars and hold a most friendly chat over their cigars of peace, for an hour at a time. The Benefa Boy is looking nobly—the very model of a perfectly built man. Morrissey looks like an old man beside him. Heenan is said to be worth \$100,000, and just now is a defendant in a suit in New York in which a patron of his gaming house seeks to recover about \$1,500 lost therein.

In New York a man 70 years old, lately ran 7 miles in 58 minutes and ten seconds, winning \$400.

NEW ADVERTISEMENTS.

Partnership Notice.
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T. L. RICE,
J. M. WHEELER.
Winnebago City, Minn., Aug. 28, 1867.

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Winnebago City, Aug. 28, 1867. 200y2

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Oysters,	Mackerel,
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Winnebago City, Aug. 28, 1867. 200tf

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v4n21tf pr N. W. SARGENT
April 5th, 1867.

Manhood: How Lost, How Restored.

Just published, a new edition of Dr. C. C. CULVERWELL'S Celebrated Essay on the radical cure (without medicine) of SPERMATORRHOEA, or Seminal Weakness, Impotency, Nervous Debility, Premature Decay, and all the effects of youthful indiscretion, will, for the sake of suffering humanity, send free to all who need it, the recipe and directions for making the simple remedy by which he was cured; suffering willing to profit by the advertiser's experience, can do so by addressing
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Winnebago City, Minn., August 24, 1867.
To Isaac B. Fisher:
Roger Wood has this day applied for the south east quarter section 20, township 101 north, range 26 west; it being the land you filed on. You are hereby notified to be and appear at this office on Friday the 27th day of Sept., 1867, at 12 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of giving the whole matter a fair and impartial investigation.

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MORTGAGE SALE.—Default having been made in the condition of a certain Mortgage executed and delivered by Maria C. Mead and Isaac S. Mead, of the County of Faribault, and State of Minnesota, to Bruno Beupre and Patrick H. Kelly, dated the seventh day of June, one thousand eight hundred and sixty-six, and duly recorded in the office of the Registry of Deeds for the County of Faribault aforesaid, on the seventh day of June, 1866, at 6 o'clock p. m., in Book 1 of Mortgages, on page fifteen, on which there is claimed to be due at the date of this notice the sum of Five Hundred and Sixty Dollars and Six Cents, and no suit or proceedings at law having been instituted to recover the sum secured thereby or any part thereof; Therefore, by virtue of a power of sale contained in said mortgage, and in conformity to the statutes in such case made and provided, the premises described in and covered by said mortgage, to wit: The south one-sixth of lot number Ten (10) in block number Ninety-five (95) being (66) Sixty feet front on Valeria street at said Lot and Block are designated upon the Recorded plat of Blue Earth City, in said County, which said Lot and Block and mortgaged premises are lying and being in said Blue Earth City, in said Faribault County, and State of Minnesota, will be sold at public auction to the highest bidder, at the front door of the office of the Register of Deeds, in Blue Earth City, in the County of Faribault and State aforesaid, on the Twelfth day of October, 1867, at one o'clock in the afternoon of said day, to satisfy the amount then due on said mortgage, together with the costs and expenses of sale. Dated the 22d day of August, A. D., 1867.

BRUNO BEUPRE, } Mortgagees.
PATRICK H. KELLY, }
ANDREW C. DUNN, Attorney
for Mortgagees.
Winnebago City, Minn. 200w7

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Winnebago City, Minn., August 17, 1867.
To Adeline Sanford:
B. A. Hordick has this day applied for the north east quarter section 30, township 104 north, range 29 west; it being the land you filed on. You are hereby notified to be and appear at this office on Saturday the 14th day of Sept., 1867, at 12 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of giving the whole matter a fair and impartial investigation.

A. H. BULLIS, Register,
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U. S. Land Office.

Winnebago City, Minn., August 17, 1867.
To Johnathan Taylor:
Pattman Sisson has this day applied for the 2 1/2 n e 1/4 and 1/2 s e 1/4 sec 28, township 101 north, range 29 west; it being the land you filed on. You are hereby notified to be and appear at this office on Saturday the 14th day of Sept., 1867, at 12 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of giving the whole matter a fair and impartial investigation.

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U. S. Land Office.

Winnebago City, Minn., August 5, 1867.
To Robert Shidels:
Almon A. Pol has this day applied for the 1/2 s e 1/4 sec 27 and 1/2 s e 1/4 sec 28, township 102 north, range 30 west; it being the land you filed on. You are hereby notified to be and appear at this office on Saturday the 14th day of Sept., 1867, at 12 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of giving the whole matter a fair and impartial investigation.

A. H. BULLIS, Register,
H. W. HOLLEY, Receiver.

U. S. Land Office.

Winnebago City, Minn., July 31, 1867.
To Bertel O. Olsen:
Erick Backstrom has this day applied for the north east quarter section twenty, township 103 north, range 35 west, it being the land you filed on. You are hereby notified to be and appear at this office on Saturday the 14th day of August, 1867, at 9 a. m., for the purpose of giving the whole matter a fair and impartial investigation.

A. H. BULLIS, Register,
H. W. HOLLEY, Receiver.

U. S. Land Office.

Winnebago City, Minn., August 2, 1867.
To Dighton Bosworth:
Reuben Fairfield has this day applied for the north west quarter section 20, township 102 north, range 25 west; it being the land you filed on. You are hereby notified to be and appear at this office on Saturday the 31st day of Aug., 1867, at 12 o'clock p. m., for the purpose of giving the whole matter a fair and impartial investigation.

A. H. BULLIS, Register,
H. W. HOLLEY, Receiver.

LOCAL AFFAIRS.

WINNEBAGO CITY, August 28, 1867.

DIVINE SERVICES.
Congregational—Services every Sabbath in the new School House, at 11 o'clock A. M., and 7 o'clock P. M.
Rev. E. W. MERRILL, Pastor.

Baptist—Services every alternate Sabbath in the Baptist Church, at 11 o'clock A. M., and three Sundays in each month at 7 P. M.
Rev. E. STILMAN, Pastor.

Methodist—Services every alternate Sabbath in the Baptist Church, at 11 o'clock A. M., and one Sunday in each month at 7 o'clock P. M.
Rev. A. S. CHURCH, Pastor.

Ice at Richardson's.
Smoked Habbit at Dearborn's.
Transparent Sirup at Wilson's.
Grain Sacks at McCabe's.
Pure Air in Minnesota.

Justice Court and Real Estate Blanks at the HONESTAD office.

A fresh supply of Drugs, &c. &c. have just arrived at Farley's.

See the copartnership notice of Rice & Wheeler. Their advertisement will appear next week.

Painters, Attention!—A large quantity of Lead and Oil of the best quality, just received at the Drug Store.

Apples! Apples!! Apples!!!—Green Apples for Pies at the Drug Store.

Read the new advertisements this week, of C. McCabe, M. Dearborn, John Kieble, S. E. Henderson & Co., Alfred L. Sewell, and G. F. Kimball.

Wanted—Copies of the HOME-STEAD, for June 19th and 26th, 1867. We will pay for two copies each, for the above dates, if they are left at this office.

For Sale at the house of C. S. Kimball, one Bureau, one Bedstead, one Table, and a Sheet-iron Stove with pipe and zinc.

Winnebago City, Aug. 28th, 1867.

Shakopee now boasts a good-looking, stirring Republican newspaper.—M. C. Russell, Publisher and Proprietor. It deserves the energetic support of every Republican in Scott County.

Last week Friday, W. R. Wood, Land Commissioner of the Minnesota Valley Railroad, entered 300,120 acres of land at the U. S. Land Office in this City.

Kulliyun!! Kulliyun!!!—Shirrell's unequalled "Kulliyun" Washing Crystal may be obtained at Farley's Drug Store in Winnebago City. All who have used it, pronounce it the best Dirt Extractor in the world.

The subject of "Northfield college" as presented at the Baptist church last week by Rev. Charles Sucombe, was highly interesting, and the audience succumbed to the amount of thirty eight dollars.

Three magnificent Steel Engravings of Mr. Hicks' Picture of the "Distinguished Authors of the United States" are for sale at this office. The regular retail price of this large Picture showing forty-four full length Portraits, is \$12.

A large fine-flavored specimen of apples of the red astrachan variety, has been shown us by H. W. Holley, grown in his garden, on trees three years old. There is no evident reason why Minnesota should not rival the mellow orchards of New Jersey or New York.

The editor of an Eastern exchange has evidently been reading the poem commencing:
"Backward, turn backward, oh Time, in your flight,"

for in his issue of Aug. 16th, he tells his readers to look out for a shower of meteors on the evenings of the 9th and 10th of August.

A. H. Harritt, the gentlemanly Gen'l Agent of the St. Paul Press, visited our office yesterday. He is taking subscriptions for the Campaign paper, which every true Republican voter in Minnesota should have in his pocket, and which every Democrat should read when he can get the opportunity.

Nearly all the grain in this County is cut, but much of it remains to be stacked. It is now thought the yield will be much better than the most sanguin hoped for three weeks since.—Some pieces on corn ground which were thought worthless from blight, will yield at least twenty-five bushels per acre.

St. Paul has appropriated \$200,000 in aid of the Lake Superior Railroad.

Every one who has logs at the Winnebago City Mill, is requested to come and point them out at once, or mark their names on them, that they may be distinguished. I intend to clean the mill-yard out immediately, and it is imperative that each owner should mark his own logs.

E. RHODES.

Pursuant to notice, the Republican electors of the town of Winnebago City met in caucus in Moulton's Hall last Saturday evening.—A. F. De La Vergne, Esq., chairman, and D. W. Potter, Secretary. James Crays and Geo. M. Potter were chosen as delegates to the county convention which meets at Blue Earth City on the 31st inst.

Rev. E. W. Merrill, pastor of the Congregational Church here during the past year, preaches his farewell sermon on Sabbath next, and leaves Winnebago for Wisconsin. The absence of Mr. Merrill will be regretted by his congregation, and many others here; but he will take with him the warmest wishes of all, for his prosperity and happiness in his new charge.

THE YOUTH'S ECLECTIC, which is sent free for three months, continues to improve, the September number being the best yet issued. The next number will come out with a finely illustrated heading. Address G. F. KIMBALL, Belleville, Ill.

THE LITTLE CORPORA! for September contains Chapter 3 of Mrs. Miller's popular new story "Camp Bruce;" No 2 of "The Chicken Little Stories;" No. 1 of "Early Times in Ohio;" besides a large number of choice Poems, Prose Articles, Picture Stories, &c., entirely original. Price, one dollar a year. Great inducements are offered to those who wish to raise clubs. Address ALFRED L. SEWELL, Publisher, Chicago, Ill.

THE GALAXY, for September, contains some "Reminiscences of Dr. Anthon," the late distinguished classical scholar and teacher, by Dr. Robert Nesmith; "A Carol of Harvest, for 1867," by Walt Whitman; "Jean Ingelow's New Volume," by Harriet Prescott Spofford; "The Ladies of Langollen," by Rev. W. R. Alger; "Bingham Young and Mormonism," by E. M. Tallidge, a Mormon Elder; "Aunt Madeline's Trial," a Short Story, by F. L. Curtis; "Steven Lawrence, Yeoman," by Mrs. Edwards; "Waiting for the Verdict," by Mrs. R. H. Davis; and "Nebula," by the Editor.

The price of THE GALAXY is \$3.50 a year. Single copies may be obtained of the newsdealers or they will be sent postpaid on receipt of 30 cts. W. C. & P. P. CHURCH, No. 39 Park Row, New York

PITTSBURGH, SEPTEMBER 1, 1866. Messrs. Heston & Smith, Pittsburgh, Pa.

GRACE:—I think I am only doing the part of a good citizen when I testify to the great benefits received by me from the use of your Stomach Bitters during the last five years. Suffering for a time in the oil regions, in 1861, I had a severe bilious attack, which, in connection with dyspepsia, left me in a very weak condition. I was advised to try your Bitters, and, having procured a bottle, found that they worked like a charm upon me, eight pounds having been added to my weight in the space of one week, and new life seemed to have been infused into my system, so much so, that I have been induced to use them every summer since that time. As a tonic, I think they are invaluable.

This summer, having had a similar attack, (and as before, much reduced,) although under the treatment of an A. No. 1 physician, I was obliged to have recourse to the old Bitters, and then with the same good result, having gained six pounds within a few days. I purchased a half dozen bottles a few weeks since, and purpose to use them regularly as a tonic.

Wishing you every success, I remain Yours, gratefully, WILLIAM MILLER.

MARRIED.

In Blue Earth City, August 23d, by Esp. Rose, Mr. A. B. TYLER, of Winnebago City, and Miss EMMA D. VIEON, of Blue Earth City.

Also, at the same time and place, by the same, Mr. ANSON AYERS, and Miss ELIZA SCRIVEN, all of Faribault County.

Winnebago City Market.

Corrected weekly by Moulton & Deudon.

Wheat, spring, No. 1,	\$1.25
" " No. 2,	1.00
Corn,	1.50
Oats,	1.00
Flour, per 100,	5.50
Corn Meal,	4.00
Potatoes,	1.00
Butter,	15
Eggs,	15
Beans,	2.00
Onions,	2.00
Hay, per ton,	5.00
Wool per cord,	3.00
Cheese,	20
Pork, salt, per pound,	18 to 20
Pork, fresh, per cwt.,	12.50
Beef, fresh, per pound,	10 to 12 1/2

To All Whom It May Concern.

Whereas, On the 1st of last January I gave my son, Charles H. Norman, his time, this is to notify all persons that the said Charles H. Norman has the right to transact any business in his own name without any interference from me. And persons so dealing with him, must not do it on my account, as I will pay no debts of his contracting since that date. W. R. NORMAN, Jackson, Minn., July 15, 1867. 38w6

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In all bilious disorders these Pills may be used with confidence, as they promote the discharge of vitiated bile, and remove those obstructions from the liver and biliary ducts, which are the cause of bilious affections in general.

SCHENCK'S MANDRAKE PILLS cure Sick Headache, and all disorders of the Liver, indicated by yellow skin, coated tongue, costiveness, dyspepsia, and a general feeling of weariness and lassitude, showing that the liver is in a torpid or obstructed condition.

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It will certainly do what is claimed for it, a fact to which hundreds, nay thousands, who have used it, are ready and willing to testify. Where one bottle is fairly used, in any community, its reputation spreads like wild fire, and the best advertisement and recommendation we desire.

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Try HALL'S HAIR RENEWER according to Directions, and you will use no other.

If not sold at druggists in your town, a trial bottle will be sent you by express, upon receipt of one dollar by mail, thus giving you an opportunity at once of testing its excellent qualities.

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